Pitkin's Cash Store

The Store That Saves You Money

Wednesday Specials:

Pork Chops, per lb
Pork Loin Roast, per lb
Clover Bacon, per lb
VanCamp's Early June Peas, per can10c
Van Camp's Hominy, per can 8c
Van Camp's Pumpkin, per can 71/2
Rex Lye, per can
Dannemiller's Good Coffee, per lb121/2
Perfection Tomatoes, per can 8c
May's Apricots, per can
Fancy Exchange Brand Grapefruit, 46 size, 3.20c
Gold Bar Evaporated Peaches, the very best
packed, per lb
Choice Evaporated Peaches, per lb 8c
Nice Fresh Prunes, per lb
Lily of the Valley Pitted Red Cherries, regular
40c glass can, each
Lily of the Valley Small Beets, regular 25c glass
can each19c

SHORT LOCALS

Eggs, 18c; butter, 28c.

FARMS FOR SALE-W. C. Rock- tives in the city. Mr. Lewis P. Schaus was a busi-

ness visitor in Columbus on Monday. Plant sweet peas now, 2 ounces for 5 cents at Woolson's.

Miss Edna Jenkins spent Sunday with relatives in Sparta.

Mr. Oren Poppleton spent Monday in Columbus on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Speelman were visitors in Bangs on Monday.

Mr. Charles Ransom went to New ark Sunday night on business.

Miss Gertha Darling and Miss Neva McPeek spent Sunday with relatives in Galena.

Miss Almeda Van Voorhis of Mt. Liberty was the guest of her mother in the city over Sunday.

Mr. John E. Ward went to Zanes ville this morning on business mat-

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vandevelt of Utica spent the week-end with Mrs. Vandevelt's father, Mr. Charles Tier, Miss Bessle Van Voorhees of Mt.

Liberty was the week-end guest of relatives in the city.

Application blanks for automobile licenses may be obtained at the Banner office free of charge.

Bulk garden seeds, the kind that grow and yield abundantly, at Wool-

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. West of Colum-

Miss Adah Robinson of Columbus was the week-end guest of her parents in the city.

Mrs. Nick Barth returned this morning to Wellsville, O., after a visit with relatives here

Mrs. A. F. Berry of Wooster avenue is spending the day with Cambier

Miss Katherine Walton returned with Mrs. E. C. Walton, her mother.

Miss Ethel McKee returned this morning from Gambier where she played at a concert last evening. Mr. Harry Seavolt went to Dela-

ware today to attend the basketball tournament games. Mr. Dwight Hobbs of Ashland is spending the week-end with relatives

Mrs. William T. Anawalt returned

Mt. Vernon friends Messrs. John L. Brining and Fred Cole were business visitors in Colum-

bus on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Allerding of Mansfield spent Sunday with rela-

tives in this city. Mrs. C. A. Kerr went to Painesville this morning, called there by the ill-

ness of her grand-mother. Mrs. Louise Baxter of Fredericktown is the guest of relatives in Mt.

Mrs. I. D. Hunt went to Columbus

this morning to join her husband, who has been visiting there.

Mrs. Lucy Heldy, who resides east of the city, went to Akron this morn-Ong to visit with relatives.

The six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Taylor of Chester street is critically ill.

Mrs. Charles Penick has returned to Utica, after a visit with relatives

in the city Mrs. E. Minnick of North McKentie street went to Utica Monday, to

wisit with relatives. Rev. Walter Hollett of Danville was summoned Sunday to the bedside of his aged mother in Freeport, O. Mrs. Hollett's condition is critical.

Mrs. Clara Gordon went to Colum-

bus Sunday to spend several days with relatives Mr. and Mrs. George Israel of Mas sillon were week-end guests of rela-

Miss Willia Spitzer of Westerville

Miss Ethel McKee went to Fredericktown Monday, to visit with Miss Luella Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Owens, daughter, Eleanor, and Mr. Philip and friends in Newark.

Mrs. Grant Conger, who resides east of the city, was called to Cambridge Monday by the serious illness of her father.

Miss Inez Hixenbaugh returned this

morning to Lima, after an extended visit with numerous relatives in this

inspect the lodge of F. & A. M. located in that village. COME AND SEE THE SMART HATS WE ARE SHOWING FOR

SPRING, 1915. McHALE'S MILLI-Mrs. C. F. Stout returned to Utica this morning, after a visit with her

parens, Mr. and Mrs. John Koppert of North Liberty. Rev. D. A. Morris on Sunday evening closed a very successful series of

revival meetings, which have been conducted by him in Chesterville the past two weeks. Mr. Murray Vernon of East Burge

street went to Cleveland Sunday and joined his wife, who has been visiting there, the two returning Monday Mrs. N. E. Boomhower of New York

City, who has been the guest of Mrs. John S. Ringwalt and Mr. Theodore Ringwalt of North Main street, returned home Monday. Mr. Frank Jones of Seattle, Wash., formerly of Mt. Vernon, who is visit-

ing with relatives in Mansfield, spent Monday to Columbus, after a visit Sunday in the city, the guest of relatives and friends, Mrs. F. D. Sutherland, Miss Jesse Ridenour and Mr. Lany Burgoon of and a goat is always hungry-and they

Junction City were the week-end soon will crop the undergrowth short guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Haine, North Main street.

Mr. George Hibbard of Keokuk, Ia., who formerly ran a pop corn wagon in Mt. Vernon, was in the city Monday, en route to Chicago, Ill. Mr. to Columbus Friday after a visit with Hibbard will join a carnival company

in St. Louis, Mo., on April 10, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Rosenthall went to Chicago, Ill., Sunday night, where Mr. Rosenthall, as secretary of the Ohio Retail Clothiers' Association, will attend the meeting of the

Ulinois organization. Messrs, William McGee, Ernest Starmer, Harold McGee, Paul Cuningham and Guyler Starmer made an automobile trip to Delaware Saturday morning to see Mt. Vernon high school basketball team play in the

semi-finals and finals. Miss Nina Levering, teacher in the Gambier schools, came home this morning to spend Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Byrdess Levering, East

High street. Mrs. Charles B. Curtis returned Friday afternoon from Columbus, where she has been the guest of Mrs. Joseph P. Rankin

Mrs. William Cole. Mrs. Home Kennedy and Mrs. Milton S. Lewis ers. \$: 25@7 25; heavy Yorkers, \$7 50@ 7 60; pigs, \$:@7 10.

Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$8; top lambs, \$10.

SPRING MILLINERY OPENING. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17. A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF TIPPERARY TURBANS, SHEPHERDESS POKE BONNETS AND SAILORS AT MC

Dr. Ogg of Utica was a week-end leitor in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. E. R. Chawford of Newark visted friends in the city Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Blamer and son, Homer, returned Sunday from a three months' For Basket Ball And The Deisit in San Angelo, Texas.

Mrs. Earl Fulk returned to Newark Monday, after a visit with friends in he community. Mr. Claude Smith of Utica spent

Mr. Andrew Black of Danville sustained a stroke of paralysis Sunday

and is in a serious condition. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Caris of Fulton, Ohio, are spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. W.

Ogg. West iVne street. Mr. John Emerick of Danville was removed Monday morning to the Mt. Vernon hospital, where it may be necessary to amputate his left foot, gangrene having set in. On account of his advanced age, his condition is

CHESS IS NOT SO SLOW.

lifteen Moves an Hour Is the Rule In Championship Games.

What is the average length of time hat a chess player in an international championship contest takes to move? Among mere human players there are many traditions of how these peers of the game scorn to make a move in less than an hour; nay, more, how they consume whole evenings and often times days in a single move. Such tales are rife in rural chess circles.

Now, in hard fact, these superplayers move more rapidly than the everyday expert. The common limit in was the week-end guest of relatives international championship matches is fifteen moves an hour; a player failing to get within this limit loses the game no matter how commanding his position; an average of four minutes to the move is considered ample time. Indeed, when Capablanca challenged Lasker for the world's championship Eisele spent Sunday with relatives be was held to be justified in refusing Lasker's condition that the limit be lengthened to twelve moves an hour.

In championship games a chess clock is always used. This has two dials, each dial controlled by a plunger. Immediately after black has moved white strikes his plunger, which starts the hands on his dial recording time. At of silver and on one side of it may the instant he moves he strikes his plunger again, halting the mechanism. Black then strikes the plunger of his District Lecturer Charles C. Iams dial, starting his clock in turn. The went to West Lafayette Monday, to dials thus record the net time each consumes in moving.

Of course in practical play the con testant gets more than the four min utes. The first eight or ten moves are almost always book plays, made in less than a minute each. This allows much time as credit on later moves. Farthermore, even when his opponent is moving, a player studies his own next move, based on the probable move of his opponent. But the day long or even the hour long move exists only in the imagination of the village champion - Washington Post.

GOATS AS FIRE FIGHTERS.

erd of 4,000 to Help Uncle Sam Keep Fire Breaks Open.

San Francisco.-Give a goat a chance and he makes a first class fire fighter. In recognition of his efficiency the United States forest service announces that the secretary of agriculture has just authorized the free grazing of 4,000 goats in the national reserves of California, together with a bonus to their owners for handling them.

Cutting wide trails known as fire breaks, across which brush fires cannot jump, is a standard method of fire prevention. The trouble is that each year there recurs at heavy cost the problem of cleaning out the trails. Turn loose a herd of hungry goats-

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

EAST BUFFALO, March 15. Cattle—Prime steers, \$3 75@9; shipping, \$8@8 50; butchers, \$7 50@7 60; helfers, \$5668; cows, \$1667; bulls, \$4 50667 25; calves, \$5601.

calves, \$5@11.

Hors Heavy, \$7 25@7 40: mixed, \$7 50 gr7 75; Yorkers, \$7 65@7 75, pics, \$7 50; roughs, \$6 35@6 50; stags, \$4 50@5 50; Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$6@9 50. wethers, \$8 25668 50; eves, \$4667 75; mised sheep, \$7 7568; lambs, \$6 50610 85.

CHICAGO, March 15.

Cattle—Native steers, \$5.709/8 75; western, \$5.977 35; cows and heifers, \$3.209 7 60; caives, \$6.2599 75.

House Light, \$6.6096 9236; mixed, \$6.60 95; heavy, \$6.2096 \$2½; rough, \$6.30 96 45; pigs, \$6.5096 80.

Sheep and Loube Theorem Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$768 10; yearlings, \$7 7568 90; lambs, \$7 65610.

yearlings, \$7 750'8 90; lambs, \$7 55@10.

CLEVELAND, March 15.

Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$7 25@7 50; helfers, \$6 25@1 75; bulls, \$6@6 75; cows, \$5@6 75; calves, \$4@8 75.

Hogs—Yorkers, light Yorkers and mediums, \$7 25; heavies, \$6 60; pigs, \$6 50; roughs, \$5 75; stags, \$4 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$5@5 80; lambs \$760'5 50;

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lambs, \$760 50.

CINCINNATI, March 15.

Cattle—Steers, \$5.7567 50: helfers, \$5.67 50: cows, \$5.606 25; calves, \$5.69.

Hogs—Inckers and butchers, \$7.85.69 for common to choice, \$5.5066 25; pigs and lights, \$5.7568 750; stags, \$4.5065 50. PITTSBURGH, March 15. Cattle Top cattle, \$8 75; top calves,

Hous- Heavies, \$7 25@7 50; light York-

BOSTON, March 15.

BOSTON, March 15.
Wool-Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces;
Delaine washed, 36@37c; fine unmerchantable, 32@23c; half blood combing,
38c; delaine unwashed, 311@32c; fine unwashed, 28@29c.
TOLEDO, March 15.
Wheat \$1.55; corn, 75%@76%c; oats,
524@625c; clover seed, \$5.40.

CHEERS

bate Teams

Sunday in the city, the guest of Given At The High School. **Cup Is Also Presented**

Monday morning the entire high school student body assembled in the auditorium to attend the most interesting chapel program of the year. As soon as the usual senior orations were given, Principal Rimer introduced W. L. Sanders, the debate coach. Mr. Sanders, who was present at the high school debate at Newark Friday evening, gave a very interesting account of the debate at that city. Although, by the decision of the judges, Mt. Vernon lost, Mr. Sanders stated that as far as real debating was concerned the local team had the Newark orators whipped to a frazzle. Robert Eastman was the first speaker for the Mt. Vernon team. and right here a little praise for this voy would certainly not be amiss. Being called at the eleventh hour because of the sickness of Merritt Chambers, "Bob" went into the debate "on all fours." With only twenty-four hours of preparation, he astonished the Newark audience by his mastery of debating. The next speaker of the Mt. Vernon team was Miss Olive Black who was by far the star of the evening. The final speaker to uphold the Mt. Vernon prestige was Glenn Sparks, who was certainly at his best at this time. Taken all in all, the local feam, as a prominent lawyer in Newark expressed it, "debated the Newark team to a stand-

As the next number on the chapel program, Captain Charles Clayton of the local basketball five, presented a beautiful loving cup to the high school of this city. The cup is made be found the following inscription:

> Ohio State Inter-Scholastic Basketball Championship Under the Auspices of Ohio Wesleyan University 2nd Prize

Principal Rimer received the cup and thanked the basketball team in behalf of the student body.

After the presentation of the cup, Coach Hagaman gave a short talk, after which Supt. Zemer gave a very interesting talk to the students pertaining both to the debate and to the championship game at Delaware

Also at this time, Mr. Rimer made an announcement that Merritt Chambers, who was unable to debate in Newark Friday evening because of an To Be Given in The High Sch iation to his many friends and high school students of the courtesies

shown him during his sickness. The program was completed by cheers for both the basketball and debate teams.

TAFFETA RUCHING

Chicago Journal. One pretty method of the school buildings.

of using taffeta as a ruching is to have a narrow strip of it gathered or plaited-a bias strip-and then to have the edges fringed out for a quarter of an inch.

For Dr. Eastman In Being A Big Booster For The Mt. Vernon Team

As an aftermath to the basketball struggle at Delaware Saturday, local rooters feel much indebted to Dr. N. R. Eastman for his very active work in boosting the team and making a large attendance at the tournament

possible. It was Dr. Eastman who originally suggested a special train. When personal solicitation among high school students and citizens failed to produce 100 people who would guarantee to go on the special, Dr. Eastman presented the proposition to a number of business men, members of the Citizens' Association, and induced 20 of them to unite with him in making up any deficit that might accrue in running a special train.

The vast amount of difference it made to the team to have a large crowd of rooters spurring them on can only be appreciated by those who were present at Delaware and heard the mammoth rooting section of Delaware high in action.

To Dr. Eastman then, both high school and interested citizens unite in giving thanks and praise for his ef-

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A daughter was born Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. John Lamblolette of West Vine street.

A daughter was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. William Bonds, East Vine street.

To avoid delay in delivery have number, P. O. box or general delivery, The following letters remain un claimed in the Mt Verson postoffice

Advertised March 15, 1915, Bartlett, Daisy Braddock, T. F. Gaffney, T. B. Genhelmer, Harry E. Grand Union Tea Co. Heck, James G.

Kock, Bro. Dennis

A CONCERT

SHERIDAN G. DOWDS, Postmaster.

A concer, under the leadership of Prof. R. A. Chubb, will be given Wednesday evening in the high school auditorium, starting at 7 o'clock. Fifteen children from each of the second grades in the city will sing during Puffs and flouncing and ruches of the entertainment. The proceeds dearious sorts worked out in taffeta rived from the ticket sale will be deand other silk are a favorite form of voted to the purchase of new rectrimming the new frocks, says the ords for the talking machines in each

From Mt. Vernon Successful At Columbus

The Mt. Vernon bowlers met with great success in the city tournament in Columbus Friday and Saturday, making probably the best showing of and Clarence Black of West Bedford, any of the out-of-town aggregations. O. The funeral Tuesday afternoon at Between \$30 and \$40 in prize money will fall to them.

Messrs. Harry and Dan Chase, in the doubles, got a poor start the first game, but came back strong the remainder of the time. Their final score was 1,128 and their position in fant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Homer 12th place.

Messrs. Harry and Dan Chase, Elmer known here. The demise occurred Bowman, Russell Roberts, and Edson last Thursday afternoon at 4:20 Breece, also made a very creditable o'clock. The funeral was held Satshowing, scoring 2,695 and landing in urday afternoon. tenth place.

The bowlers express great satisfac tion with their treatment at the tournament and are high in praise of the sportsmanship prevailing.



James Harley Horn died at his home, 814 West Gambier street, Sunday morning at 1:30 o'clock, after a three months' illness of tuberculosis, The deceased was thirty-five years of age and a

teamster by occupation. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Helen Marie. The following sisters also survive: Mrs. Anna Mullis of Kansas City, go into force today throughout the Mo., Mrs. Martha Hurd, Denver, Ark., Mrs. Mary Wright, Robinson, Ind., Mrs. Maude Hall, of Mt. Vernon. One brother, Noah Horn, of Newark, also fifty cents. The extent of the new tax survives. The funeral occurred Mon-

Henry Gallegher

day afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at

Rocky Ford, Licking county.

Henry Gallegher, a former Mt. Vernon resident, died Sunday morning at your mail addressed to street and after an extended illness of tuberculeaving about three years ago. Mr.

P. J. Henegan of this city is a cousin The funeral in Orrville. Interment in Calvary cemetery, this city, on Tuesday afternoon.

Moffit Black

Moffit Black, a former resident of Knox county, who has been residing in Ashville, N. C., for the benefit of his health, died last week of stomach trouble. The remains arrived in Danville Sunday evening. Mr. Black leaves a wife and the following children: Mrs. Ambra Biggs of Danville, Messrs. Myron Black of California 2 o'clock. Interment in Workman cemetery.

-0-Infant Slutz

Mr. Silas Parr received news Monday morning of the death of the in-Slutz of East Providence, R. I., for-The five-man team, composed of mer Mt. Vernon residents and well

WAIST LINE OF COATS

Short-waisted arrangements in suit coats and separate coats are not so much in evidence as they were in the midwinter and advance spring showing, says the New York Times, the normal waist line being given preference, but occasional models with the high waist line are sponsored by the best designers, and these coats are most becoming to some figures than those of more shapely defined walst curves.

CANADIAN STAMP TAX IN FORCE

Ottawa, Mar. 15-The new stamp taxes, patterned after the emergency tax now in force in the United States, Dominion. The new tax will be known as the "Inland Revenue War Tax". The denominations run from one to is shown by the estimates from Montreal that that city will pay \$1,000,000 a year under the stamp law.

SECOND TRIAL FOR MURDER

Bowling Green, Ohio, Mar. 15-Charles Neiswander, who was found 7:30 o'clock at his home in Orrville, guilty of manslaughter earlier in the month, will again face trial today for lar trouble. The deceased was 32 the murder of his father-in-law Wilyears of age and leaves no immediate liam Dinndore. Irregularities in the relatives. He resided in Mt. Vernon, first trial were charged by his counsel, coming here from Chicago, Ill., and who secured a second chance for Nei-



Office out of Irom warch

Making arrangements to remove family to Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

MT. VERNON'S ONLY EXCLUSIVE EYE SPECIALIST POSSESSING the MEDICAL EDUCATION of the OCULIST OFFICE, OVER MT. VERNON POSTOFFICE



Crepe-de-Chene at 50c-36 and 40 in. crepe-de-chene in splendid finish

contains some cotton in the new spring shades of put-ty, sand, maise, blue, pink, white, reseda, Belgian blue, wisteria, midnight and king's blue, per yard 50c

Stripe Messaline Silk 75c-24 in all silk messaline in green, Belgian blue navy grounds with hair line stripes, especially

Marquisette at 59c yard-36 in. marquisette, possessing a very lustrous finish with good body. Comes in plain black or white,

Chiffon Cloth \$1.25 yard-

New Spring Silks Arrived this morning

Attractive and beautiful indeed are the new spring silks that came in this morning. Silks are much wanted for early spring wear and we believe our big selection of staple and fancy silks to be the best this store has ever shown. An early visit here will solve the silk problem for you.

New Wash Silks 50c-

Seven different patterns in 36 in. stripe wash silk. This material is cotton and silk mixed but makes very dainty waists and dresses, per yard. .50c Jap Habatai Silks \$1.00-

Crepe-de-Chene at \$1.50-

Pure silk crepe-de-chene, heavy quality, high finish, white grounds with soft postel stripes as well as the very popular black stripes, 33 in. wide, per yard\$1.50 Fancy Waistings at \$1.00 yard-

Crepe-de-Chene at \$1.00-

These silks are scarce and very much in vogue. We have just received an excellent quality, 40 in. wide in shades of nile, sage, white, midnight, black, maise and rose at the very special price of, per

Notice

Having terminated our contract. we will, on and after April 15th. 1915, discontinue giving trading stamps.

Johnston-Walker-McCrackin